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## SALE OF BLACKFOOT INDIAN RESERVATION

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tion therewith will be reserved from sale. The Department reserves the right to withdraw any of the lands from the sale. The general description of these lands is considered to be substantially correct, but intending purchasers are advised to personally inspect any and all parcels they intend to purchase.

**Terms of Payment**  
One tenth in cash at time of sale, and the balance in nine equal annual instalments, with interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum on the balance of the purchase money from time to time remaining unpaid. Scrip or warrants will not be accepted in payment.

Upon a parcel of land being knocked down, the purchaser shall immediately deposit the sum of \$100 with the clerk of the sale, otherwise the parcel will at once be put up again. For this purpose intending purchasers should have in their possession with market value of the land, or a certificate of the value of the land to their own order and payable at par at the time of sale; or with such notes of as large a denomination as possible. The balance of the cash instalment must in every case be paid before the close of sale, failing which the deposit of \$100 will be forfeited, and the land withdrawn from sale.

Lists and plans of the lands to be sold may be had on application to J. A. Mackie, Inspector of Indian Affairs, Dept. of the Interior, Ottawa, Ontario, or to J. D. McLean, Asst. Deputy and Secretary.

**General Description of Land to be Sold**  
The Blackfoot Indian reserve is situated about forty miles east of Calgary, Alberta, the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway forming the northern boundary. The railway stations of Nanton, Rimbey, Gladwin, Cluny, Crowfoot and Barran are opposite to or within short distance of the reserve, and about eight or nine miles north of the northern limit of the lands to be sold. These lands consist of about three-quarters of Tp. 20, R. 19, the south half of Tp. 20, R. 20, the south half of Tp. 20, R. 21, Tp. 20 and part of Tp. 21, R. 21, Tp. 20 and part of Tp. 21, R. 22, Tp. 20 and part of Tp. 21, R. 23, Tp. 20 and part of Tp. 21, R. 24, all east of the 4th Meridian.

The irrigation canal of the Southern Alberta Land Company forms the northern boundary in ranges 22, 23 and 24, running south through the eastern portion of Tp. 20, R. 22. Gleichen is a town of considerable importance, while most of the smaller places are growing. Farming has been carried on with success for many years in this district and there lands are considered to be among the best in Southern Alberta. The coal and mining rights are reserved and sections 8 and 26 (where they occur in any township) will not be offered for sale.

**Township 20, Range 19:** Prairie and contains 14,933 acres. On the east side it is cut by the Bow River with courses running back and a range of low hills run through the centre. Sections 25, 26 and 30 are comparatively smooth and suitable for mow or hand plow; the remainder is good grazing and mixed farming land. The soil is generally sandy loam with clay sub-soil.

**Township 20, Range 20:** Prairie and contains 11,335 acres. Section 10 and eleven to fourteen are somewhat hilly and suitable for mixed farming and grazing; the remainder being generally level and rolling prairie soil will make good mixed farming land. The soil is generally sandy loam with clay sub-soil.

**Township 20, Range 21:** Undulating and slightly rolling prairie and contains 11,311 acres, of which most dry and half of the section is suitable for a mow plow, the remainder being good hand plow land. The soil is sandy loam with clay sub-soil.

**Township 20, Range 22:** Prairie and contains together 18,472 acres. The irrigation canal of the Southern Alberta Land Company forms the north limit of the most of this land, and runs south through sections 11, 12 and 2 in Township 20. About one-third is suitable for a mow plow, and about one-half for hand plow, and the remainder somewhat hilly but will make good mixed and grazing farms. There are several springs and small creeks throughout this township. The soil is sandy loam with clay sub-soil with occasional traces of gravel in places.

Township 20, range 23: Prairie

and contains 23,036 acres, the north boundary being from one half mile to two and one-half mile south of the Irrigation Canal of the Southern Alberta Land Company.

East Arrowwood Creek, a small stream about one foot deep, enters this township at the south west corner and leaves near the centre in section 23, running north to the Bow River, occasional springs are also found. It is estimated that about one-half is suitable for a mow plow, about one-half for hand plow, and the balance somewhat hilly and rolling suitable for grazing and mixed farming, a large portion can be cultivated with hand plow. The soil is generally sandy loam with clay sub-soil.

**Township 21, Range 23:** Prairie and contains 4107 acres. The Southern Alberta Land Company's canal forms the northern boundary and east Arrowwood creek passes through section 4. Nearly the whole may be classed as mow plow land. The soil is sandy loam with clay sub-soil.

**Township 23, Range 21:** Prairie contains 23,098 acres. The greater part of the west half is watered by east Arrowwood Creek and its branches. It is estimated that one half is suitable for a mow plow, the other half being good hand plow land with a few grazing quarters. The soil is sandy loam with clay sub-soil.

**Township 21, range 23:** Prairie contains 17,315 acres. The irrigation canal of the Southern Alberta Land Company forms the north boundary. The West Arrowwood creek runs through sections 3 and 11. It is estimated that three-quarters of this township can be worked with a mow plow, and the remainder with few exceptions is suitable for a hand plow. Soil sandy loam with clay sub-soil.

**Township 22, Range 24:** Prairie contains 638 acres. The irrigation canal of the Southern Alberta Land Co. forms the south limit. The south half of section 6 is level and undulating can be worked with mow plow. The remainder is suitable for grazing.

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## TOWN AND DISTRICT

Mrs. H. Shaw was quite ill Fri-  
day but has improved considerably since.

Keep out the flies. The Gleichen  
Trucking Co. has a good assortment  
of two doors and wheelers that  
will help you to get rid of them.

If one may judge from the hall  
gatherings it would seem that the  
more Young and Canada  
than Englishmen and Scotchmen—  
baseball appears to have more sup-  
porters than football.

During the past week over 20  
Germans and Dutchmen arrived in  
Gleichen, and have gone south to  
work on the irrigation canal for the  
Southern Alberta Land Co., among  
them being three women.

Pat Turner, the cattle king,  
is at a ranching camp. He says  
that a bad year for crops will come  
and the little bunch of cattle will be  
a mighty nice thing to fall back  
upon.

Four carboys of piping and other  
material arrived at Gleichen Satur-  
day for the waterworks and sewage  
system and is to be distributed  
down town ready for the work of  
construction which will likely be  
commenced within a few days.

The country north of Gleichen is  
settling up rapidly if one may judge  
by the many settlers passing through  
Gleichen daily. Some arrive by  
train, but many drive through from  
he south with complete equipment  
for farm implements and household  
effects.

It appears doubtful as to whether  
a football league can be formed in  
the valley this season. Gleichen  
expresses so far to have the com-  
plete organization, but it is believed  
"Strathmore" will succeed in getting  
it together. Local enthusiasts  
could like to see Brooks, Langton  
and Langton, organize.

The wind and snowstorm Mon-  
day is reported to have knocked  
down about 10 miles of the C. P. R.  
approach line between Cochrane  
and Banquo, and a big force of  
men went down with a work train  
Friday morning to repair the dam-  
age. It is stated the poles were  
very old and badly decayed.

The snowstorm on Monday is  
generally admitted a grand thing  
for the district and it is believed  
the damage has been small and the  
only to work calves and cattle on  
the range. While there was plenty  
of moisture recently this extra  
snow should be the final insurance  
a bumper crop for the farmers.

G. Watkins is now in charge of  
the Clay Nursery Co., having re-  
cently arrived from Brandon, Man.,  
where for seven years he has been man-  
ager of the Palmrose Nursery, which  
without exception is the largest  
nursery in Canada. The Clay  
Nursery Co. are preparing to do  
business on a large scale and will  
undoubtedly to supply all Alberta, leav-  
ing that trees raised here will  
prove far superior than any stock  
that may be sent in from either  
eastern or western points.

Mr. and Mrs. John Critchton  
spent from Sunday until Tuesday  
in town. Mr. Critchton has sold all  
of his horses and cattle on his ranch  
at Bonfield to L. B. Cry, but still  
retains the property. It is under-  
stood that he received a good price  
for his stock, although the actual  
figures have not been made public.  
Mr. Critchton intends leaving within  
a week or two for the state of Vir-  
ginia with his family in hopes that  
a change of climate will benefit his  
son, who has not enjoyed good  
health for the past couple of years.

On Saturday evening, in Gies-  
bach Hall, there appeared a com-  
pany of entertainers, and a fair  
audience assembled to witness the  
performance. However the Call  
has nothing to report for, as the  
local manager spared that humble  
source of intelligence the humiliat-  
ing condemnation of having in-  
cluded anyone so unprepared. There  
were no programs, consequently the  
call's little series was enveloped in  
ignorance as to the identity of the  
individuals appearing. The main  
attraction was one who was  
announced as the brother of a com-  
mon whose fame is known to all re-  
sidents of the province. However, it  
did not dispute his relationship,  
but—well, give us the photograph.  
A half and several other songs  
with different effects, heretofore  
renderings were sweet and tuneful,  
and, otherwise, like. The item that  
was good, clever and funny was  
given by a versatile musical com-  
poser whose appearance took away  
the pain previously endured, he was  
ably seconded by a capable pianist.  
It is sincerely to be hoped that the  
next show will "come on it's own

Robert Shaw, M.P.P. for Stettler  
spent Thursday night in town visit-  
ing his numerous Gleichen friends.  
He had nothing to say from a po-  
litical point of view, but expressed  
himself as most pleased with the  
prospects for Alberta generally in the  
year. He said that of the many  
years he had spent in the Gleichen  
district he never saw the prospects  
so favorable as at present.

While coming in from the south  
the automobile of the automobile  
Chris. Bartch picked up a work-  
man from one of the camps, who  
had evidently been ridden in as  
auto before. Being in a hurry to  
reach town he turned the flyer loose  
and the man hung on to his seat  
for dear life. When within a  
couple of miles of a fire saw,  
Bartch decided he would have to  
come on without a tire, and second-  
ly invited the man to board the  
flyer again, but he blankly refused  
the kind offer, insisting he pre-  
ferred walking to risking his life.  
Chris. did hit the light spot at  
last.

Last Thursday three foreigners  
got into a fight after indulging too  
freely in liquid refreshments. In  
the mix-up one seized a butcher  
knife and chased the others out of  
the house, where one of them threw  
a stone at the man brandishing the  
knife, and striking him on the face  
above the eye. The police not being  
in the house J. H. Leckie, who  
interfered and with the assistance  
of A. S. Wood stopped the fight and  
arrested the three men. The next  
morning the three men  
claimed they did not remember any-  
thing about the fight, and Mr. Leckie  
sent them off with costs \$10.00,  
and the others with \$5.00.

Last Thursday the Call staff got a  
very bad scare by a patrol of Ray  
Scouts marching into this office  
headed by Patrol Leader Joe Ma-  
shall. The staff was relieved when  
the leader told him that the scout-  
master had been told to look in  
but the fellow inside last to time  
in seeing the office officers, paper  
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which was attached several large  
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Gleichen has every prospect of having the Provincial Agricultural College located here and has offered 320 acres of land for a site.

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**NO TOWN in the Dominion offers** Better Industries and Opportunities for Successful Investments than **GLEICHEN**

When it comes to the pinch there is something to be said for the lobster.

There is many a man who says things to his wife he wouldn't dare say to his cook.

Saturday evening next, in Griesbach Hall, a new selection of pictures will be shown. Judging by the large attendance on Tuesday evening and the appreciation manifested these exhibitions are growing in public favor.

Manager Jackson, of the Alberta Well-drilling Co., of Calgary, has arrived with his outfit, and is now locating on the site of the waterworks to commence operations for his company who have the contract for sinking the town well.

Monday afternoon last our only Tom P. Fisher left by the west bound train for Vancouver where he has secured a more lucrative position. Tom has been a resident of Gleichen for the past five years and has always been a willing helper in any good cause, and his many Gleichen friends wish him every success in his new sphere of life.

At 2:30 yesterday morning a fire alarm sent in by Chief Wakefield brought out seven of his sturdy brigade, when it was found a fire was burning at the residence of Mrs. Hotchkiss and with the aid of the chemical engines it was extinguished with a damage of about \$50. The fire is another mystery for it started on the outside of the building where a quantity of manure is piled up for banking, and burned up the side of the house to the window. The property belongs to the school and is best known as the "old red school house."

Chas. Marshall, who for some time past has been making a study of photography, and is now among the most capable in that branch of art, has now opened business as an artist photographer, in nicely appointed rooms in Beaupre Block. His outfit is as complete and up-to-date as is possible to procure, and as his artistic sense and exactness to detail and finish are well known his numerous friends and the public generally can rely on the results of his camera.

Mr. R. D. Prettie, who has charge of the C.P.R. forestry department was in Gleichen Tuesday, and when seen by a Call reporter said that work on the park would be started this week by G. B. Krouk, who has charge of all western lines in this department. Mr. Prettie stated that he was not prepared to say to just what extent the work in the park would be carried on this year, but on closer questioning admitted he expected a large number of trees would be planted on the south side of the new depot. From further conversation it was understood that the department was hankering in securing the services of experienced men to allow it to comply with the requests made by the towns in Alberta, but that every effort was being made to fulfil the demands. He also said that several hundred trees had been shipped to Agent Gooderham to plant on the reserve close to town as formerly promised by the department.

The accommodation committee is making excellent progress towards providing for those who will attend the auction sale of the Blackfoot reserve on June 11th. At a meeting held Monday evening it was shown the committee so far has been most thorough in its work and that the citizens generally are entering into the proposition most heartily, for outside of the hotels, sleeping accommodation has been offered for 223 persons. Several citizens have come forward and offered the use of tents, and with the exhibition building and the moving picture hall there should be no difficulty in housing considerably over 1000 people. For a time it appeared there would be trouble in securing a sufficient number of cots and bedding, but the committee believes that has been solved, and tonight a delegation will wait upon the town council to ask their assistance in carrying out the arrangements. It may be as well here to state that the problem of taking care of the buyers is rather a serious one, and in order to interest the townspeople it may be said that the first suggestion of local merchants purchasing a sufficient number of cots, blankets, sheets and pillows proved all together out of the question, for it was estimated at least

500 full outfits will be required, and the cheapest these could be laid down is \$10, or in other words \$5000 would need to be invested.

However the committee have a scheme to rent all that will be necessary, and will ask the council to assist them in carrying it out. The work undertaken is no light task and every enterprising citizen should assist fulfilling the promises made to the government. With four good restaurants and two hotels to provide edibles there is no reason why the town cannot easily furnish everything necessary in this direction.

- A fat fee makes a clean client.
- A sitting hen is in no fear of the roasting pan.
- A leaning gate is an indication of a lazy owner.
- The end of an argument is better than either side of it.
- The rolling stone hasn't time to gather moss on roads frequented by automobiles.
- A sense of humor is useful to a man, but a sense of honor will get him much farther.

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The farmers sure read the Call. Tuesday afternoon a big crowd of farmers gathered in the Palace Hotel sample rooms to interview G. N. Burke, who was announced in the last Call to be present to discuss the rural telephone proposition. Our reporter arrived a little late, and the farmers were coming and going to sign the necessary petitions to obtain 'phones, but at one time counted 56 farmers in the room. The number of farmers wanting phones exceeded Mr. Burke's expectations, and the unfortunate part of it is that in many cases the lines asked for was not continuous. To explain: to secure a phone it is necessary to have an application for each mile of line constructed and in this some will be disappointed with their neighbors not appearing. The Call, however, learns that at present the rural will be extended east from town towards Cluny, where the present long distance poles are erected. It will also go north on the same poles and will extend west to Roy M. Allen's farm. At F. C. Williams' farm another line runs west and on to Stobart. This year \$200,000 is being spent on rural lines, but the

demand is great and it will be impossible to supply all. It may also be well to state that all petitions for 'phones must first be sent into Edmonton before first being allowed, and at present only those who applied last year can be considered by Mr. Burke. For the future our farmers will do well to apply early and see that their neighbours do likewise.

Bob Edward's has got his Eye Opener in Calgary again—Dan McGilleudy left for the east some weeks ago.

The meeting called at Gleichen Monday to form a baseball league has been postponed until next Wednesday, May 17th, at Bassano.

An ozonogram from Bassano tells of big doings in that town next Wednesday but particulars have not yet reached Gleichen.

Eighty-five per cent of all headaches are the result of eye-strain. Are you troubled that way? If so consult S. L. Taube of the Taube Optical Co., Calgary and Toronto. He will be at Yates' Drug Store. Gleichen, Friday, May 26th.

The rain yesterday added several more thousand dollars to the farmers of this valley.

Gleichen is getting more advertising from the sale of the Indian lands than ever before. Let us all take advantage by helping in the good work.

Miss M. Wilson arrived in town Monday from Rosebud after nearly a year's absence to visit her friends. At present she is spending a few in Calgary.

Services will be held in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Gleichen, on Sunday next, May 14th, as follows: 11 a.m., Morning service and Communion; 7.30 p.m., Evensong, Rev. T. Mitten officiating.

To leave a person's hands free while telephoning, a Calgary man has invented a jointed arm to a receiver at any desired angle. Some of Gleichen's busiest men are contemplating buying one.

Work on the construction of the Gleichen creamery has been started. A well has been bored, the site laid out, and a good portion of the building material is now on the ground.